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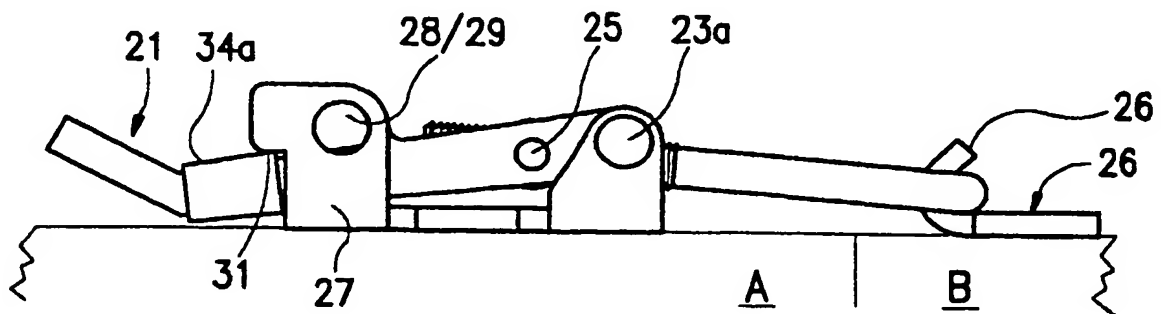
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(57) **Abstract:** A locking means for an over-centre fastener for preventing unintentional opening of a lever of the fastener, comprises a spring (30) attached to the lever (21a) and abutment means (31) associated with a the stationary part (20) of the fastener. The spring (30) has one end attached to the lever (21a) and an opposite, movable end thereof forms engagement means (34a) engaging the abutment means (31) in a closed position of the fastener. Said opposite end of the spring is formed with guide means (34a, 34c) guiding movement of said opposite end of the spring relative to the lever (21a).

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